Lincoln Home

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Volunteer

Support Lincoln Home National Historic Site! As a volunteer you can present Lincoln Home tours, assist rangers with the protection of park resources, and interact with the public. There are a wide variety of rewarding opportunities awaiting you. Below are current volunteer positions at Lincoln Home. If you are interested in assisting the park, please visit the park website: www.nps.gov/liho or call: 217-391-3212.

Trails and Rails

Present talks about Central Illinois while on board an Amtrak train from Springfield, IL to Chicago, IL and back. Provide directions, answer questions, and show props representative of Illinois.

Living History

Dress in 1850-1860 period clothing. Volunteers portray characters in first and third person living history. All required training will be provided.

NPS Centennial/ Community Outreach Program Volunteer

Set up displays and/or present programs about the National Park Service Centennial at Lincoln Home and in the community. Program materials and training will be provided.

Gardener

Educate visitors about the heirloom garden. Also plant, mulch, water, weed, and harvest garden. A minimum of 4 hours/week is required during the growing season.

Lincoln Home Tour Docent

Lead thematic Lincoln
Home tours for the public
and organized groups.
Must have public
speaking experience and
the ability to work with a
diversity of groups. A
minimum of four hours
per week is required
from March through
November.

For more information

Please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at 217-391-3212.